



Department of Conservation and Recreation
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PUBLIC MEETING

Esplanade Riverfront Pavilion Planning Project

Wednesday, June 28, 2017 - 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

State Transportation Building, 2nd Floor, Conference Rooms 1-3 – 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA
RSVP Required (see below)

The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) has initiated a planning process to develop a design concept for a new riverfront, multi-purpose pavilion in the area of the Lee Pool. Built in 1951, the Lee Pool has been closed since the 1990s, and the property is now used by DCR park operations staff and by DCR partners the Esplanade Association and Hill House. DCR has hired a project team led by Maryann Thompson Architects, who will examine the existing buildings and site, develop conceptual design alternatives, and develop a schematic design. This effort will be informed by a robust public process, involving the community, DCR partners, area stakeholders, and user groups. This is the second of three public meetings.

At this public meeting, DCR will present three design options for the new pavilion and the surrounding landscape. The previous public meeting helped define the program for the building, which includes public amenities such as restrooms, a community room, outdoor covered space, a green roof terrace, indoor recreational courts/event venue, and administrative and operations areas for DCR and partners. The goal of the meeting will be to select the preferred option to be developed into a schematic design. A project summary and the presentation made at the meeting will be viewable after the public meeting at <http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/public-outreach/public-meetings/>.

The public is invited to submit comments after the public meeting, with a deadline for receipt by DCR of close-of-business on July 14, 2017. Comments may be submitted online at <http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/public-outreach/submit-public-comments/> or by writing to the Department of Conservation and Recreation, Office of Public Outreach, 251 Causeway Street, 6th Floor, Boston, MA 02114.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to fire code restrictions, the venue can accommodate 150 attendees; accordingly, if you plan to attend, please RSVP on the form reached on DCR's website at <http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/public-outreach/public-meetings/rsvp-esplanade-pavilion.html>

If you have questions or concerns or would like to be added to an email list to receive DCR general or project-specific announcements, please email Mass.Parks@state.ma.us or call 617-626-4973.

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